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Box PATENT APPLICATION
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New U.S. Patent Application

Title: LINE QUALITY MONITORING APPARATUS AND METHOD

Inventor: Eiji SARUWATARI

Sir:

We enclose the following papers for filing in the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above patent application.

- 1. Application- 32 pages, including 4 independent claim and 20 claims total.
- 2. Drawings- 15 sheets of drawings containg 19 figures.
- Declaration and Power of Attorney.
- 4. Recordation Form Cover Sheet and Assignment to Kabushiki Kaisha Toshiba.
- 5. Certified copy of Japanese Patent Application No. 2001-057125, filed March 1, 2001.
- 6. Information Disclosure Statement and Information Disclosure Citation, PTO 1449 with documents attached.
- 7. The filing fee is calculated as follows:

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Basic Application Filing Fee					\$740	\$	\$740.00
	Number of Claims		Basic	Extra Claims			
Total Claims	20	-	20		x \$18		<u>.</u>
Independent Claims	4	-	3	1	x \$84		\$84.00
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Subtotal						\$	824.00
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TOTAL APPLICATION FILING FEE						\$	824.00

8. A check for \$864.00 is enclosed. The fee includes:

\$740 filing fee;

\$84 additional claims fee; and

\$40 Assignment recordation fee.

9. Applicant claims the right to priority based on Japanese Patent Application No. 2001-057125, filed March 1, 2001.

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Please accord this application an application number and filing date and record and return the Assignment to the undersigned.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional filing fees due and any other fees due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or §1.17 during the pendency of this

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application to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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